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### FROM THE EAST.

The following official dispatch has been received at the Japanese Legation in London:

"A number of the enemy's cavalry appeared at a point 700 meters of Ping-yang, Korea. Our infantry fired on them, causing them to retreat."  
Vladivostok has been blockaded by a Japanese fleet since Thursday, according to a London Daily Mail dispatch from Hakodate, which adds that incoming steamers report Russian cruisers on the east coast of Kinkwan, in the Bay of Sendai, Japan. Japanese warships have been reported in the vicinity of Vladivostok, but this report of a blockade, although considered probable, has not yet been confirmed from other sources.

Details of a skirmish at Ping-yang show that fifty Russian cavalrymen approached the north gate of the Japanese camp, and fired at 1,000 meters. A sharp fusillade took place, and the Russians retired. All foreigners are safe. The fight took place on the morning of the 28th.

Korean soldiers on the Ham-gyeng frontier have been attacked and dispersed by Russian troops.

The Manchurian situation is complicated by the massing of Chinese troops on the northern frontier. Russian tanks are exposed in case China espouses Japan's cause. A Russian attack on Korean troops is reported.

**Burning Ship in a Storm.**  
After suffering the most harrowing experience from fire and storm that has ever befallen a craft on the north Pacific coast, the steamer Queen yesterday put in at Port Townsend to report the loss of fourteen lives.

About 3:45 o'clock Saturday morning, while off the mouth of the Columbia river, the Queen caught fire in her after saloon in some unexplained way. The fire rapidly gained headway and threatened soon to envelop the whole ship. The heavy seas running meant death to any sent away in the lifeboats.

The flames became more and more threatening until, when it seemed a choice of deaths, Capt. Cousins ordered the lifeboats launched. They were manned by the crew and ordered to remain close to the ship. Into these the women and children were placed. Hardly, however, had the boats been cast loose than, unable to weather the fierce waves, two of them were capsized.

The passengers and those of the crew who remained on board continued the fight against the flames with increasing success until at 7:40 a. m., the fire was brought under control. When it was thought the danger from fire was past, Capt. Cousins recalled the lifeboats, and the occupants were taken aboard.

The Queen was headed for the mouth of the Columbia river, and about 9 o'clock the steamer Santa Monica was sighted. The Queen signaled and asked her to stand by until temporary repairs could be made. When everything had been made safe, the Queen continued on to the mouth of the Columbia, only to find the bar was too rough to cross.

The distressed craft was pointed toward Puget Sound, but bad fortune still pursued, and when she rounded Cape Flattery she encountered a terrific electric storm. With difficulty she weathered the gale, reached Port Townsend without further mishap, and proceeded to Seattle, where she arrived about midnight.

**Kruger Dying in Exile.**  
A letter received in St. Louis by Gen. Benjamin Viljoen, formerly of the Boer army, announces that former President Paul Kruger, of the Boer republic, is slowly dying as an exile at Mentone, France, and that Dr. Reitz, State secretary under President Kruger, is also an exile in Holland and a constant sufferer from nervous prostration.

Speaking of Mr. Kruger, Gen. Viljoen said: "My information regarding the late President of the republic comes from a member of his household. The poor old man's mind is failing rapidly and his health is very poor, and it is apparent to those close to him that the end is approaching. He lives in almost entire seclusion and rarely converses with any one. When he does engage in conversation his tone is sad and pathetic and the sentences are disconnected. His compatriots applied unsuccessfully to the British government for permission for his return to South Africa to spend the last days of his life in his native country. The ex-President is eighty-one years old. At the commencement of the late war he was in perfect health and sound of intellect. Our defeat seemed to have shattered his ambition, and the loss of his wife and youngest son has left an unhealable wound in his heart. Dr. Reitz, too, is in most indigent health. He is suffering from nervous prostration and is a constant invalid."

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